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# Draft programme of work of the Population Division, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, for the biennium 2012-2013

## Note by the Secretariat

1. The draft programme of work of the Population Division of the Department of Economic and Social Affairs for the biennium 2012-2013, which is contained in the annex to the present note, is submitted for the consideration of the Commission on Population and Development in compliance with the Regulations and Rules Governing Programme Planning, the Programme Aspects of the Budget, the Monitoring of Implementation and the Methods of Evaluation (ST/SGB/2000/8).

2. The General Assembly has approved, in its resolution 65/244, the biennial programme plan for the period 2012-2013, which includes the elements of the programme narrative, namely, the objectives, expected accomplishments and indicators of achievement, of the population subprogramme.

3. The draft programme of work presented below includes, in addition to the programme narrative, a list of outputs formulated within the framework of subprogramme 6, Population, of programme 7, Economic and social affairs, for the period 2012-2013.

4. The Commission is invited to take note of the programme narrative and to review the proposed outputs to be included in the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013, which will be submitted to the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions and to the General Assembly at its sixty-sixth session.

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## Annex

### Draft programme of work for the biennium 2012-2013 for the Population Division, Department of Economic and Social Affairs

**Objective of the Organization**: To strengthen the international community's capacity to effectively address current and emerging population issues and to integrate the population dimensions into the development agenda at the national and international levels

| Expected accomplishments of the Secretariat | Indicators of achievement |
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| (a) Enhanced awareness of the international community of new and emerging population issues and increased knowledge and understanding, at the national level, in particular in the areas of fertility, mortality, migration, HIV/AIDS, urbanization, population growth, population ageing and the environment | (a) (i) Increased interaction of the subprogramme with other key stakeholders in the area of population<br>(ii) Number of activities to address population issues through capacity-building at the national level |
| (b) Effectively facilitate review by Member States of progress made in the implementation of the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development, the outcome of the twenty-first special session of the General Assembly and the outcomes of the United Nations conferences and summits in the social and economic fields related to population and development, including the Millennium Summit and the 2005 World Summit | (b) All documents produced by the subprogramme for the Commission on Population and Development are made available to Member States on time |
| (c) Improved accessibility and timeliness of population information and data for use by Member States, the United Nations system, civil society and academia | (c) Increased number of subscribers to the Population Division e-mail alerts service |

**External factors**

Member States will remain committed to the goals and objectives of the International Conference on Population and Development and the relevant goals of the outcome documents of the Millennium Summit and the 2005 World Summit.

**Outputs**

During the biennium 2012-2013, the following outputs will be delivered:

(a) Servicing of intergovernmental and expert bodies (regular budget):

(i) General Assembly:

a. Substantive servicing of meetings: Second Committee of the General Assembly (2); High-level Dialogue on International Migration and Development (4);

b. Parliamentary documentation: reports of the Secretary-General on international migration and development (2);

(ii) Economic and Social Council: substantive servicing of meetings: Economic and Social Council (2);

(iii) Commission on Population and Development:

a. Substantive servicing of meetings: Commission on Population and Development (20); intersessional meetings of the Bureau of the Commission on Population and Development (6);

b. Parliamentary documentation: progress reports on activities in the field of population (2); proposed strategic framework of the population subprogramme for the biennium 2014-2015 (1); proposed programme of work in population for the biennium 2014-2015 (1); report of the intersessional meetings of the Bureau of the Commission on Population and Development (2); report on world demographic trends (1); reports on world population monitoring (2);

(iv) Ad hoc expert group meetings: Tenth Coordination Meeting on International Migration (1); Expert Group Meeting on Fertility, Changing Population Trends and Development (1); Expert Group Meeting on Health and Mortality (1); Expert Group Meeting on International Migration and Development (1);

(b) Other substantive activities (regular budget):

(i) Recurrent publications: *World Population Ageing 2013* (1); *Global Urbanization Trends 2011* (1); *World Fertility Report 2013* (print) (1); *World Fertility Report 2013* (Web version) (1); *Report of the Tenth Coordination Meeting on International Migration* (1); *World Migration Report 2012* (print) (1); *World Migration Report 2012* (Web version) (1); *World Mortality Report 2013* (print) (1); *World Mortality Report 2013* (Web version) (1); *Concise Report on World Population Monitoring* (in six languages) (2); *World Population Policies 2013* (print) (1); *World Population Policies 2013* (Web version) (1); World Urbanization Prospects: The 2011 Revision (Web database) (1); *World Urbanization Prospects 2011: Highlights* (Web version) (1); World Urbanization Prospects 2011 Revision: Data sources (Web database) (1); *World Urbanization Prospects 2011 Revision: Methodology* (Web version) (1); *World Urbanization Prospects 2011 Revision: Comprehensive data* (CD-ROM) (1); *World Population Prospects 2012 Revision: Highlights* (1); *World Population Prospects 2012 Revision, Vol. I: Comprehensive tables* (1); *World Population Prospects 2012 Revision, Vol. II: Country profiles* (1); *World Population Prospects 2012 Revision: Online country profiles* (1); World Population Prospects 2012 Revision: Data sources (Web database) (1); *World Population Prospects 2012 Revision: Methodology* (Web version) (1); *World Population Prospects 2012 Revision: Comprehensive data* (CD-ROM) (1); *World Population Prospects 2012 Revision: Annual population data* (CD-ROM) (1); *World Population Prospects 2012 Revision: Data for special country groupings* (CD-ROM) (1); World Population Prospects 2012 Revision: DemoBase (internal database) (1); *World Population Prospects 2012 Revision* (Web) (1); World Urbanization Prospects 2013 Revision: Pro-Urban internal database (1); Quarterly update of the Population Division's website (8); Biannual update of the website on international migration and development (4);

(ii) Non-recurrent publications: *Report on the Expert Group Meeting on Fertility, Changing Population Trends and Development* (Web) (1); papers from the Expert Group Meeting on Fertility, Changing Population Trends and Development (Web) (6); *Emerging issues in fertility and family planning* (1); *Report on the Expert Group Meeting on International Migration and Development* (1); papers from the Expert Group Meeting on International Migration and Development (Web) (6); *Report of the Expert Group Meeting on Health and Mortality* (1); papers from the Expert Group Meeting on Health and Mortality (Web) (3); *Emerging Issues in Health and Mortality* (print) (1); *Emerging Issues in Health and Mortality* (Web version) (1); *International Migration Policies* (print) (1); *International Migration Policies* (Web version) (1);

(iii) Booklets, fact sheets, wall charts, information kits: wall chart on population ageing and development (1); wall chart on population and the environment (1); wall chart on contraceptive use 2012 (1); wall chart on fertility patterns 2012 (1); wall chart on international migration (1); wall chart on mortality (1); wall charts on selected population policy topics (2); wall chart on urban agglomerations 2011 (1); wall chart on urban and rural areas 2011 (1); wall chart on world population 2012 (1); questionnaire for the eleventh United Nations inquiry among Governments on population and development (in six official languages) (1); population facts on current and emerging population issues (12);

(iv) Technical material: annual sets of revised child mortality estimates provided to the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF) for the Inter-agency Group for Child Mortality Estimation (2); annual update of adolescent birth rate estimates for the Millennium Development Goal indicators (2); annual update of contraceptive prevalence estimates for the Millennium Development Goal indicators (2); annual update of the estimates of unmet need for family planning for the Millennium Development Goal indicators (2); internal database on fertility and family planning (1); *World Contraceptive Use Data 2012* (CD-ROM) (1); *World Contraceptive Use Data 2012* (Web-interactive version) (1); *World Fertility Data 2012* (CD-ROM) (1); *World Fertility Data 2012* (Web-interactive version) (1); *World Marriage Data 2012* (CD-ROM) (1); *World Marriage Data 2012* (Web-interactive version) (1); *global migration database* (Web database) (1); *Trends in International Migrant Stock 2012* (CD-ROM) (1); *Trends in International Migrant Stock 2012* (Web version) (1); *Trends in International Migrant Stock 2012* (documentation) (1); International Migration Flows 2012 (Web database) (1); International Migration Flows 2012 (database on CD-ROM ) (1); International Migration Flows 2012 (documentation) (1); *World Mortality Data 2012* (CD-ROM) (1); *World Mortality Data 2012* (Web version) (1); *Database on World Population Policies 2013* (Web-interactive) (1); *Database on World Population Policies 2013* (CD-ROM) (1); Population policy country profiles (Web-interactive version) (1); *Probabilistic Projections by Country Based on the 2010 Revision of World Population Prospects* (CD-ROM) (1); DemoData: Empirical demographic internal database (1); *Database on Urban and Rural Population by Age and Sex* (CD-ROM) (1); *Database on Urban and Rural Population by Age and Sex* (Web version) (1); *World Population Ageing and Development Data* (Web version) (1); *World Population Ageing and*

*Development Data* (CD-ROM) (1); *Database on population and development* (CD-ROM) (1); Technical papers on population and development issues (Web) (8); Briefing notes and statements for senior officials or representatives of Member States (10); Responding to requests from Member States, the media, United Nations entities and other stakeholders in 2012 (1); Responding to requests from Member States, the media, United Nations entities and other stakeholders in 2013 (1);

(v) Substantive servicing of inter-agency meetings: Servicing of meetings of the Executive Committee of Economic and Social Affairs the Global Migration Group, the Committee for the Coordination of Statistical Activities, the Inter-agency and Expert Group on the Millennium Development Indicators, the Inter-agency Group for Child Mortality Estimation and other inter-agency meetings (8);

(vi) Special events: briefings for Member States (4);

(vii) Press conferences/press releases: press conferences (4); press releases (4).